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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES **DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)** ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** 47890/MEG U.S. APPLICATION NO. 10/088,439 PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. 13 September 1999 (13.09.99) 12 September 2000 (12.09.00) PCT/DE00/03160 TITLE OF INVENTION AORTIC BALLOON-OCCLUSION CANNULA (as amended) APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US DOARÉ, Michel Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. M This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. 

A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. 
is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. A has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. 
is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/LUS). 6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). 7. A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210). 8. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). a.  $\square$  are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. \( \Boxed \) have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c.  $\square$  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. 9. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 10. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 11. 

A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409). 12. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 13 to 20 below concern document(s) or other information included: 13. 

An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 14. 🕅 An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. (Two assignments for recording) 15. X A FIRST preliminary amendment.. 16. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 17. A substitute specification. 18. 

A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 19. SMALL ENTITY Assertion: Applicant(s) and any other associated with it/them under 37 CFR § 1.27(a) are a small entity. 20. X Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail. 21. 🗴 Other items or information: Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements dated May 22, 2002

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<ul> <li>a. X Two checks in the amount of \$40 each to cover the above fees are enclosed.</li> <li>b. Please charge my Deposit Account No in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</li> </ul>								
c. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.								
NOTE (2): Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.								
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- · U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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